

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY  
CAMDEN VICINAGE**

AIMAN OTHMAN,	:	CIV. NO. 21-8611 (RMB)
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Petitioner	:	
v.	:	<b>OPINION</b>
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LAMINE N'DIAYE,	:	
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Respondent	:	

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Petitioner Aiman Othman, a prisoner formerly confined in the Federal Correctional Institution in Fort Dix, New Jersey (“FCI Fort Dix”), filed a petition for writ of habeas corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2241, seeking release based on his medical conditions and the spread of COVID-19 in the prison. (Pet., Dkt. No. 1.) Respondent has filed a request to dismiss the habeas petition as moot (Docket No. 12) because the Federal Bureau of Prisons released Petitioner from custody on November 9, 2022. (Ex. A; Docket No. 12-1). “What was once a live case or controversy may become moot if ‘interim relief or events have completely and irrevocably eradicated the effects of the alleged violation.’” *Williams v. Sherman*, 214 F. App’x 264, 266 (3d Cir. 2007) (quoting *County of Los Angeles v. Davis*, 440 U.S. 625, 631 (1979)). Petitioner’s release ended his exposure to the spread of COVID-19 in FCI Fort Dix. Therefore, the petition will be dismissed as moot.

An accompanying Order follows.

DATE: **December 7, 2022**

s/Renée Marie Bumb  
RENÉE MARIE BUMB  
United States District Judge